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In re Application of :
Von MUELLER, ET AL. :
Application No. 10/840,121 :
Filed: May 6, 2004 :
For: WIRELESS/WIRED TOKEN ACCESS :
DISTRIBUTED NETWORK AND SYSTEM FOR :
USING SAME :

DECISION ON PETITION
TO MAKE SPECIAL

This is a decision on the petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.102 to make special filed October 12, 2004 which is considered as pursuant to MPEP §708.02 (IV), applicant's age.

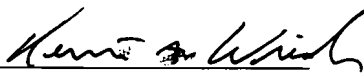
A petition to make special under MPEP §708.02, IV, must show that petitioner is 65 years of age, or more. Acceptable evidence includes a birth certificate, copy of a driver's license, or simply a statement by the applicant. No fee is required.

The petition includes a statement executed by Mr. Mos, attesting to his age which is sufficient evidence in accordance with MPEP 708.02, IV.

Accordingly, the petition is **GRANTED**.

The application will retain its special status throughout its entire prosecution, including any appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences, subject only to diligent prosecution by the applicant.

The application is being forwarded to the examiner for expedited prosecution.


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